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Pour

Victoria Woodrow of Half Moon Bay, California, has some pretty big cracks in the sidewalk in front of her house. Roots have pushed their way through the concrete and created more than one place that could cause someone to trip. She recently decided to do something about those hazards. She recruited her grandchildren to paint over and under and around in the middle of those cracks.

What did they paint? They started with a big blue background across the sidewalk and then on top of the blue they painted snakes and ants and other creatures in the most prominent "trip" areas of the concrete. Victoria hopes that the creative critters will cause people to look down and notice the hazardous spots and avoid an accidental spill.

She also hopes that the playful artwork of her "grands" might stir some buzz around town and catch the attention of city leaders and stir them to get the sidewalk fixed. Clay Lambert the Half Moon Bay Review writes, "She didn't throw any rocks. She didn't shout down her opponents. She didn't threaten legal action. She merely brought interest and art to her neighborhood..."

There are many people with cracks in the sidewalks of their hearts. Roots like stress or sickness, difficulty or despair, grievances or grief, trials or tragedy have pushed their way through the thoughts and emotions and structure of a person's life and they find themselves limping along with a broken heart.

And sometimes that is the very moment that a voice at home or a voice over at work or even a stranger on social media will shout, "Why would you believe in a God that would allow something like that to happen to you?"

It has been said that certain people love to pour heresy into people with broken hearts. Those same certain people would probably say that trying to pour the truth of God into a broken heart is also heresy. But everyone can't be right. So, here is what the truth of God sounds like - "For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him..." (Psalm 103:11). Everlasting, steadfast love that stretches beyond the heavens above the earth down to you. That sounds like a great thing to pour into the cracks of a broken heart.

Much grace to you,
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BROTHERS IV
 A Night of Celebration
 and Musical Worship



SUNDAY | JULY 31 | 6 PM

current series
 Sundays
 10:30 am
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NO WEDNESDAYS

August 3rd & 10th August 3rd & 10th



ALL ACTIVITIES CANCELLED

WOMEN'S MINISTRY
 Upcoming Events

FATHER/DAUGHTER BANQUET
 September 24
 Saturday

SIGN UP IN THE BACK HALL! SIGN UP IN THE BACK HALL!

MOTHER/SON BOWLING
 SATURDAY AUGUST 13

FALL RETREAT
 NOVEMBER 11-13

SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

glue sticks
 kid's scissors
 crayons (24-ct)

THANK YOU!

last day
 august 7



MINI CHRISTMAS
 AUGUST

girls in action®

ROYAL AMBASSADORS
 11 Corinthians 5:20

MISSION PROJECT

COLLECTING UNTIL SEPTEMBER 4

METALLIC CLUB
 SENIOR ADULT FELLOWSHIP

Thursday | August 18 | 11 am

Special Guests:

SCE&G Representative
 "TIPS FOR ENERGY EFFICIENCY"

Jody Ratcliffe
 "HABC Next Steps Ministry"

Room 105

SIGN-UP IN THE BACK HALL


lunch follows in the Fellowship Hall





Information/Numbers

With one Sunday left before printing, final numbers for July were not available. They will be posted in the next newsletter.

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- coloring books (small/thin)
 - 8-pack crayons
 - jump ropes
 - puzzles, toy cars, and toy trucks (small)
 - sidewalk chalk
 - socks (girls and boys ages 2-18)
 - individually wrapped snack foods
 - used children's books (elementary level)
 - Goodwill gift cards
 - NIRV Bibles
 - Jesus Storybook Bibles
 - LifeWay gift cards

August Birthdays

1 Gary Franklin	11 Ann Smith	17 Ricky Roddy
1 Nancy Ellisor	11 Eddie Young, IV	17 Kyle Cullum
2 JT Stephenson	11 Jordan Underhill	18 Scott Poovey
3 Elaine Senn	12 Nancy Evans	23 B.J. Epps
3 Mary Kendall Dickerson	13 Lana Ward	23 Caroline Wright
4 Anistyn Fields	13 Kyle Watts	25 Joy Wright
5 Ellen Powell	13 Wilson Ward	26 Tammy Adams
8 Matthew Rose	14 Bobbi Jacobs	26 Heather Yarborough
8 Charlie Underhill	14 Cruz Diaz	28 Inessa Jenkins
9 Cheri Rogers	15 Mary Sutton	28 Leigh Sharpe
9 Lindsay Shupe	15 David Rea	30 Christina Atkinson
10 Olivia Burggraaf	15 Brett Powell	30 Bailey Hook
11 Brenda Merritt	17 Romaine Chappell	31 Neal Martin

WHAT A GREAT SUMMER!



THANK YOU TO EVERYONE!
KIDS, YOUTH, ADULTS, VOLUNTEERS, & BOAT-ROCKERS!



Who does Christmas in August help?

David Parsons | Winston-Salem, North Carolina

David networks with churches, schools, organizations, individuals, and businesses to help them engage their community for Christ. As a North American Mission Board missionary, he comes alongside local churches by helping them begin new types of ministries to reach the unchurched youth in their community. This connection of churches to community is the focus of his ministry, as well as training churches to mentor fatherless boys and girls and discipling men in the marketplace. David and the members of his ministry believe that every church can be connected to their community and be on mission for God.

| wmu.com, davidparsons.org

August Extended Session

Nursery Volunteers

August 7 - Team 3

August 14 - Team 4

August 21 - Team 5

August 28 - Team 6

Kid's Worship Leaders

Wee Worship - Lindsay Shupe

K-5th Grade - Tammy Adams

CHURCH STAFF

Ministers

Every Church Member

Children's Minister

Tammy Adams

Organist

Stacey Arnold

Office Administrator

Joanna Ayers

Pianist

Emily Lipscombe

Musical Worship Minister

O'neta Poovey

Next Steps Pastor

Jody Ratcliffe

Custodian

Ricky Roddy

Preschool Outreach Minister &

Weekday Preschool Director

Lindsay Shupe

Student Minister

Brad Siedschlag

Financial Administrator

Gayle Smith

Pastor

Dow Welsh

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday
9:00 AM - 2:00 PM



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SUNDAYS

9:15 AM
Bible Study
10:30 AM
Worship

4TH SUNDAYS

9:15 AM
Prayer Time (room 105)
9:30 AM
Bible Study
10:30 AM
Worship

WEDNESDAYS

4:30 PM
Prayer for Revival
5:00 PM
Church-wide Supper
6:00 PM
Adult Bible Study
The Gathering (STUDENTS)
Children's Choir
Preschool Choir
Childcare (BIRTH - 2)
6:45 pm
Celebration Choir (ADULT)
RA's (BOYS)
GA's (GIRLS)
Mission Friends (PRESCHOOL)
Childcare (BIRTH - 2)

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
			NO NIGHT ACTIVITIES			
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Regular Schedule			NO NIGHT ACTIVITIES			
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Regular Schedule		Second Chance	Kickoff for Regular Schedule			
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Regular Schedule			Regular Schedule			
28	29	30	31			
Regular Schedule			Regular Schedule			